

### 1 Ring | Info Point Bau.Stelle

The *Info Point Bau.Stelle* in front of the historical Parliament Building opens on 17 July 2017. It informs about the renovation, explains why the renovation is necessary and what are the next stages of the project. A branch of the Parliament Shop offers the opportunity to buy tickets for guided tours, souvenirs and publications.

### 2 Palais Epstein | Parliamentary Library

The *Parliamentary Library* will be at your service at Palais Epstein from 7 August 2017. Opening hours are Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For further information please call +43 1 401 10-2285 or visit the Library's website [www.parlament.gv.at/bibliothek](http://www.parlament.gv.at/bibliothek).

### 3 Ring Pavilion | Democracy Workshop

The *Democracy Workshop* will reopen its doors to children and young people on the ground floor of the Ring Pavilion on 18 September 2017. It will continue to offer its wide range of different workshops. For more information and for registration please refer to the website [www.demokratiewebstatt.at](http://www.demokratiewebstatt.at).

### 4 Burg Pavilion | Info Point Platz.Mit.Bestimmung

From 28 July 2017, the *Info Point Platz.Mit.Bestimmung*, accommodated on the Burg Pavilion's ground floor, will provide interactive information on democracy and the parliamentary system. A special focus is devoted to the history of the Heldenplatz and to archaeological findings. A branch of the Parliament Shop sells tickets for guided tours and souvenirs and offers a wide variety of information leaflets and booklets.

### 5 Hofburg | Main Entrance, Josefsplatz

The *Main Entrance at Josefsplatz* will be the starting point of guided tours and also the entrance for visitors of National and Federal Council sittings. It will be open to visitors from mid-August. It will also offer general information, a souvenir shop and an opportunity to buy tickets for guided tours.

Please note the different dates on which the Democracy Quarter's information facilities start providing their services, and plan accordingly!

**We look forward to your visit!**

## Parliament relocated – Welcome to the **Democracy Quarter!**

The Parliament Building, a magnificent edifice by Theophil Hansen which dates back to the 19<sup>th</sup> century, is getting on in years and needs major renovation. Parliament's home will therefore turn into a building site for the next few years, but parliamentary business will continue unhindered and undisturbed – at different locations which form a coherent area: the **Democracy Quarter**. The Austrian Parliament and its work will thus enjoy high visibility, and it will of course remain possible for the interested public to visit the National Council and the Federal Council and to obtain information on parliamentary activities.

Access for visitors of plenary sittings and for guided tours will be at the *Main Entrance at Josefsplatz*. On Heldenplatz, services for the public will be offered at two additional locations: the *Democracy Workshop* in the Ring Pavilion, and the *Info Point Platz.Mit.Bestimmung* in the Burg Pavilion. In front of the historical Parliament Building, the *Info Point Bau.Stelle* informs about the ongoing renovation. The *Parliamentary Library's* services will be available at the Palais Epstein.

### Opening Hours

**Info Point Bau.Stelle** (from July 17)  
Monday to Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Parliamentary Library** (from August 7)  
Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Democracy Workshop** (from September 18)  
Appointment required: +43-1-401 10-2930 or  
[demokratiewerkstatt@parlament.gv.at](mailto:demokratiewerkstatt@parlament.gv.at)

**Info Point Platz.Mit.Bestimmung** (from July 28)  
Monday to Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**Main Entrance, Josefsplatz** (from mid-August)  
Monday to Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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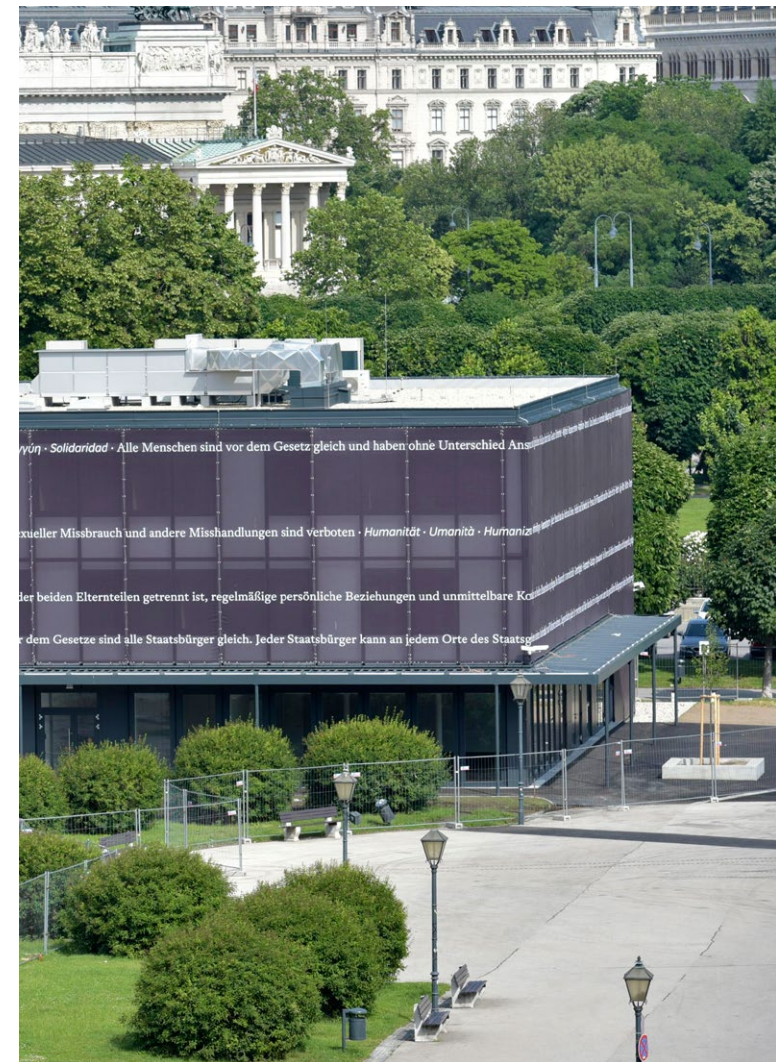
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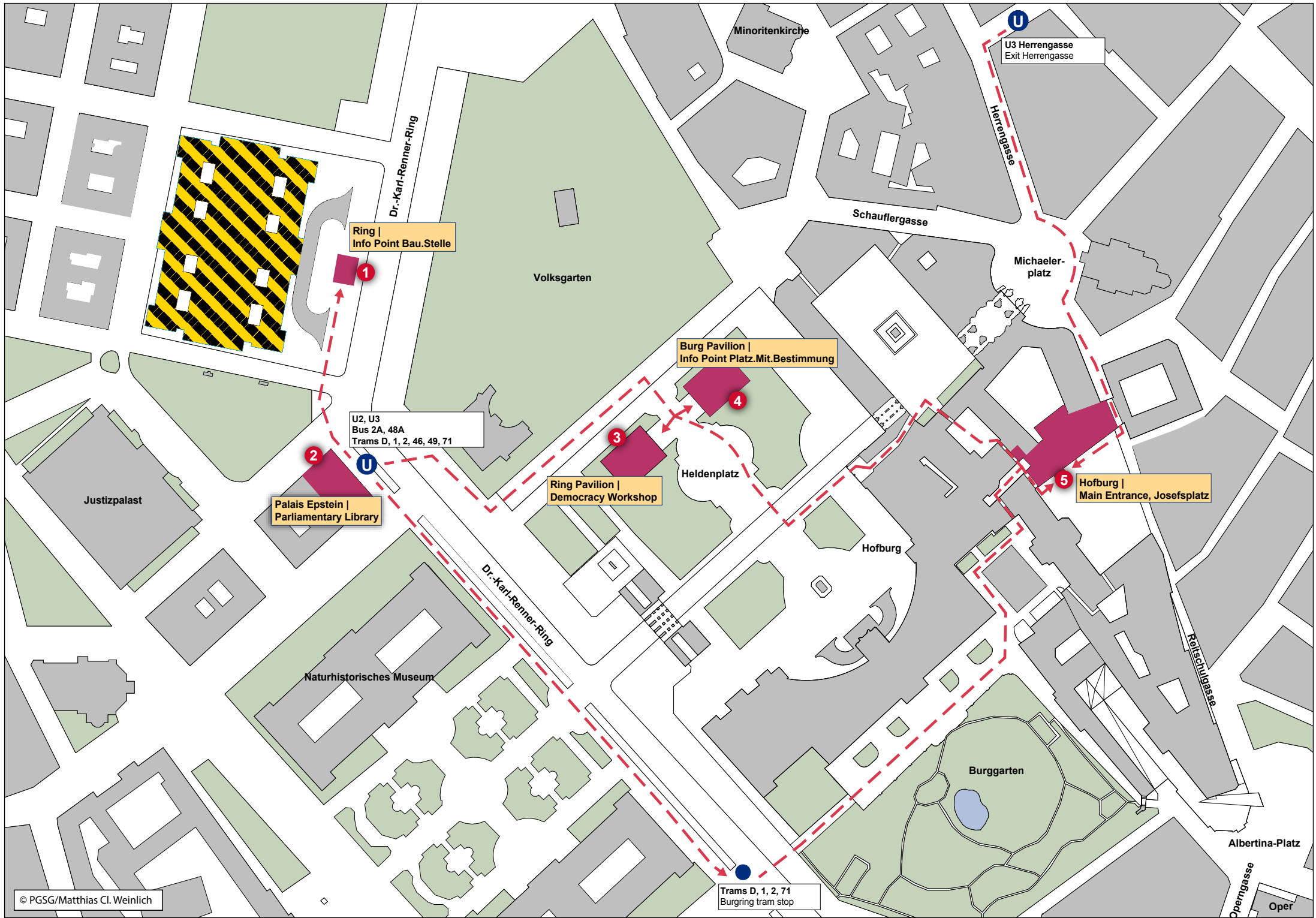
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Ring Pavilion | Democracy Workshop

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Burg Pavilion | Info Point Platz.Mit.Bestimmung

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Hofburg | Main Entrance, Josefsplatz

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